



MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 4, 2013

TO: Mayor Delgado and City Council Members
City Employees and Members of the Public

FROM: Steve Duran, City Manager

SUBJECT: City Manager's Weekly Report

MEETING SCHEDULE FOR May 6, 2013 through May 14, 2013

Date and Time	Event	Location
Mon., May 6, 2013 7:00 p.m.	Planning Commission Meeting	Hercules City Hall – Council Chambers 111 Civic Drive, Hercules, CA 94547
Monday, May 13, 2013	Community and Library Services Commission	Hercules City Hall – Council Chambers 111 Civic Drive, Hercules, CA 94547
Tuesday, May 14, 2013 6:00 p.m. – Closed Session 7:00 p.m. – Open Session	City Council Meeting	Hercules City Hall – Council Chambers 111 Civic Drive, Hercules, CA 94547

MEASURE A – UTILITY USER TAX “FAQ”

The City is projecting a \$1.2 million structural deficit for fiscal year 2013-2014 due to low property tax revenues, state money grabs and increased cost of employee pensions and health insurance. The City of Hercules Fiscal Accountability/Services Protection Measure will be Measure A on the June 4, 2013 Special Election ballot. This measure is an update and temporary 2% increase in the City's Utility Users Tax for five years. If passed, the funds generated will be adequate for the City to balance its annual budget and maintain our own Police Department. For a list of frequently asked questions and the answers, check the City website or e-mail the City Manager at sduran@ci.hercules.ca.us. Also, if you would like to have someone answer questions at your HOA, club or other group setting, please e-mail the City Manager.

BUDGET DISCUSSION SCHEDULED FOR MAY 14 CITY COUNCIL MEETING

The first draft of the fiscal year 2013-2014 budget will be on the City Council meeting agenda for discussion and direction to staff on May 14th. Budget Plan A assumes the passage of Measure A on June 4th and maintains the Police Department at present staffing levels. Budget Plan B assumes that Measure A fails and provides for contracting for police services with the County

Sheriff and reducing sworn and unsworn police staffing. Under Plan B, a number of Parks & Recreation programs will also have to be eliminated.

The fiscal year 2012-2013 budget was balanced using \$1.2 million of one-time money that will not be available for fiscal year 2013-2014, as funds for replacement of vehicles and IT equipment is running dangerously low. Although revenues and expenses for 2012-2013 are right on track and unemployment insurance costs will be trimmed in 2013-2014, retirement and health insurance costs will increase, offsetting other savings efforts.

PLANNING DEPARTMENT UPDATES

May 6 Planning Commission Meeting: This coming Monday, there are no hearings scheduled for the Planning Commission meeting. However, there are two information items. Both are the environmental reviews currently out for public comment on projects that will be coming before you in June:

- ***Adoption of Hercules Housing Element and related Zoning Ordinance amendments***
(Anticipate June 3 hearing)
- ***Franklin Canyon/Fernandez Ranch project***
(Anticipate June 17 hearing)

Planning Commission Workshops: Immediately following the May 6 meeting of the Planning Commission, the City will hold the first of what is envisioned as a series of community workshops to review the status of the Hercules General Plan, the Central Hercules Plan, and other related land use plans and regulations and develop a set of recommendations for the City Council to consider as new projects and development come forward. In order to accommodate the additional time for the workshop, the start of Planning Commission meeting will be moved from 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., with the workshop to follow right after the conclusion of the regular meeting. All members of the community are highly encouraged to attend and participate. for updating the City's various plans. Please note that although all Planning Commission meetings are broadcast on local TV and available as both live streaming and archived video on the City's web sites, the workshops will not be televised or recorded.

Update on Shed at 220 Beechnut Drive: On Friday, April 26, the Chief Building Official (John McGuire) and Planning Manager Robert Reber met with Mr. Pedro Mireles about the existing, partially built shed at his house at 220-Beechnut Drive, which the Planning Commission on April 15 approved but with several significant conditions of approval. Staff advised Mr. Mireles on the necessary modifications, including reducing the overall height, simplifying the roofline, and moving the lone window. Mr. Mireles agreed to provide new plans showing the changes, which we will bring back to the Design Review Subcommittee to confirm that they conform with the Commission's expectations, as well as zoning ordinance requirements.

Administrative Permits: Staff has issued the following administrative design and use permit(s) since the last update on March 1:

- Administrative Use Permit 13-03 to permit a **home-based engineering consulting business (J Plus LLC) at 2051 Cabrillo Lane**, in a Planned Commercial–Residential zone (appeal period concludes May 7).

Telecommunications Consultants and Ordinance Update: Staff hopes to soon schedule a Planning Commission workshop to solicit community input about updating the City’s telecom ordinance. Staff is working with the Center for Municipal Solutions (www.telecomsol.com) to draft an updated telecommunications ordinance for Hercules. CMS is also currently assisting the City with reviewing and processing a couple applications for expand and upgrade existing telecommunication installations and upgrades at near the crest of Turquoise Drive, on the ridgeline that divides Hercules and Pinole. Hearings for those projects will be scheduled for June.

REAL PROPERTY PROJECT UPDATES

Parcel C: This 17 acre parcel located about ¼ mile from the proposed Intermodal Transit Center site is one of three properties being sold under a court approved \$6.5 million writ of attachment to settle the Ambac lawsuit, so time is of the essence in order to fulfill the requirements of the court approved settlement to pay Ambac, as well as to pay Oliver & Company nearly \$2 million secured by Parcel C. The Oliver payment was due by March 31, 2013, but Oliver has not initiated foreclosure. Staff is in discussions with Oliver to renegotiate the schedule as well as with other potential lenders to restructure the debt.

This site had been in contract, but the buyer did not choose to go beyond its extended due diligence period because of uncertainties created by the need for state Department of Finance approval under AB 1484. The property has been re-marketed for all potential uses, again, for the last couple of months. With offers now in hand, staff will be recommending next steps to the City Council in the scheduled May 14, 2013 closed session.

Town Centrale: On April 9, 2013, the City Council approved an amendment to the Purchase and Sale Agreement (PSA) to extend the close of escrow until July 31, 2013 to provide time to obtain construction and emergency access easements on “R Alley” adjacent to the property and to give the buyer time to value engineers the project to reduce costs.

On Wednesday, April 17, Mayor Delgado and I met with the Bayside HOA to provide information on the adjacent project and explain the need for construction and maintenance easements. The HOA board will be considering a draft easement agreement on May 8th. Staff has engaged an appraiser to provide an estimate of the easements value.

Sycamore Crossing: A Purchase and Sale Agreement (PSA) was entered into with Property Development Centers (PDC) in January. PDC is a wholly owned subsidiary of Safeway and plans to build a 55,000 to 65,000 Safeway store and gas station near San Pablo Avenue, with another junior anchor, restaurant and shop space to compliment the supermarket. PDC/Safeway is now proposing a podium or roof-top parked store on the non-deed-restricted 3.5 acre parcel on the site, right at the corner of Sycamore and San Pablo Avenue.

On April 23, the City Council approved an amendment to the PSA to provide time to negotiate a substantive amendment to address several issues, including but not limited to: the increased cost of podium or roof-top parking construction versus a one story store; and impacts of AB 1484 that affect the project timeline due to required state Department of Finance approvals that were not required when the PSA was negotiated.

AMBAC LAWSUIT AND OLIVER NOTE UPDATE:

Ambac and the City have extended the performance date on the court approved stipulation to May 12, 2013 and are negotiating an amended stipulation to further extend for time and to provide for the requirements of AB 1484. The property attachment that is part of the current stipulation is set at \$6.5 million, but the amount due at closer to \$5.5 million. Staff and Ambac met with the Department of Finance staff in Sacramento on April 15 to discuss the disposition of properties owned by the City as Successor Agency and expediting the approval of real estate to meet the requirements of the court approved stipulation that former Redevelopment Agency properties are sold expeditiously.

The properties in question include Sycamore Crossing, which is in contract with Property Development Centers/Safeway to build a Safeway anchored Shopping Center, Victoria Crescent, which is in contract with City Ventures to build single family detached homes for sale, and Parcel C, which is out of contract and being marketed for all potential uses. Any proceeds of these sales will go toward financial obligations of the obligations the former Redevelopment Agency. Although no sales proceeds will go to the City, the fees, sales tax and utility user tax that will be created by the development of these properties will go a long way toward stabilizing the City's finances over time.

HERCULES MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISPOSITION SCHEDULE

The City's negotiations with Pacific Gas & Electric Company for the sale of Hercules Municipal Utility are proceeding close to schedule and staff anticipates having an Agreement on the City Council agenda for consideration in May. Once the City and PG&E have executed an agreement, we will be filing for approval of the sale with the Public Utilities Commission. It is anticipated that PUC approval will take anywhere from six to 18 months.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES UPDATES

Building Permits:

- Number of permits issued-----15
- Building permit fees collected-----\$2,283.62
- Number of inspections-----16
- Code Enforcement inspections-----3

Sewer Lateral Inspection Program:

- Number of application received: 4
- Sewer Lateral Inspection Fees Collected: \$500.00
- Number of Certifications issued: 4
- Number of Deficiency Notices issued: 0
- Number of Condominium Waivers issued: 0

Other Activities:

- Sewer main line blockage was reported on Beryl Court. Thanks to the responsive and professional work of public works staff Glen Moniz and David Romero with the assistance of contractor H&R Plumbing the blockage was cleared and a major spill was averted.
- Dirt is being removed from Parcel C by Mag trucking to accommodate a project underway in Richmond.
- Large sinkhole on Poppy drive was repaired by D.R.Lemmings on an emergency basis. The hole was approximately 6 foot in diameter and six foot deep. Cause was found to be a storm drain that had developed a hole in the side of the pipe.
- Staff review of Wastewater Plant upgrades Request for Proposals.
- Staff is continuing to meet and discuss the City's solid waste agreement, Joint Powers Authority, and RecycleMore contracts.
- Staff continues to work on the State Revolving Loan Fund Application for Pinole/Hercules Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade.
- MTC P-TAP Round 14 – Pavement Condition Survey Grant.
- OBAG application for Pavement Rehabilitation of Refugio Valley Road.
- Mass Grading for SF Bay Trail & Track Preparation Project.
- Promenade Lift Station Removal and Sanitary Sewer Line Replacement Project
- Title VI program development.
- Wide Load/Transportation Permits Issued: 0
- Encroachment Permits Issued: 2

Hercules Municipal Utility activities:

- Performed visual inspections of equipment: 182
- Pumped water out of vaults: 3
- Meter reads: 4
- Meters installed: 1
- Meters pulled: 0
- Red tag postings for non-payment: 4
- Graffiti removal: 1
- Electric vehicle charging station work

Outside Agency Activities:

- ARB Construction has completed their work at the freeway overcrossing at Sycamore Avenue and behind Home Depot. They are contractors for Chevron repairing the coating on Chevron's pipeline in previously identified locations.

PARKS AND RECREATION UPDATES

Currently the Park & Recreation Department offers a wide variety of recreation classes and programs that cater to all ages and help to promote a healthy lifestyle. The classes & programs provide a great opportunity to have fun and exercise while interacting with others in a safe environment. You can go online to www.ci.hercules.ca.us to get more information or to register for classes.

- We had our Parks & Recreation Expo on Sunday, April 28, 2013 10:00am -2:00pm at Community/Swim Center. It was a great success we brought in over \$75,000 in program registrations and over almost 300 participants attended. It was a free event where participants could look at all of the programs and services that the Hercules Parks & Recreation is offering for Summer 2013! They got to meet summer day camp and aquatics staff, plus a variety of specialty instructors and get your questions answered in person. Thank you to all the staff and TYC volunteers that helped make this event successful!

Upcoming Events:

Clean Up Day Date: 5/4/2013 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM Cost: FREE

Clean-Up Day is set for Saturday, May 4, 2013 from 8:00am-11:00am. Richmond Sanitary Service will graciously provide the dumpsters to be placed at the **City of Hercules Corp Yard, 1000 Sycamore Avenue**. We are requesting the participation of Volunteers for this event. This effort is to have the city look its best. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer please call (510) 799-8290.

Seniors/50+: Come to the Senior Center Programs to enjoy: CC Café, Art Class, Card Club, Ping Pong, Tai Chi, Zumba Gold, Low Impact Exercise Classes, Dance Club, and a Hula Dance. Become a Member for \$20.00, your membership gives you access to over 30 classes and programs at a discounted rate.

- \$1227.50 in revenue for this week for the nutrition Café, donation and classes.
- Special Thank You to the Friend of the Hercules Senior Center for donating \$500.00 to the center.

Texas Hold 'Em Fundraiser: Friday, June 21, 2013

The Friends of the Hercules Senior Center and Parks & Recreation is bringing you Texas Hold 'Em Fundraiser! It will be held at the Hercules Community Center, 2001 Refugio Valley Rd. \$60.00 Buy-in, \$20.00 Re-buys, raffle prizes. Dinner Buffer/ Happy Hour 6-6:45p Tournament 6:45-11p. Cash Bar (Beer & wine will be available for purchase). Funds raised will help support Senior/50+ services and programs. For more information please call: (510) 799-8291

Licensed Before & After School Child Care

Sign up for Child Care, please make sure to register early so you get your space. For more information please call 245-4803. What are the benefits of our licensed programs?

- Provides a safe and nurturing environment
- Provides qualified and matured staff
- All lead Staff have training in school age programming through accredited colleges
- Provides a 1 staff to 14 ratio, not to exceed 28 children per classroom
- All staff have passed a Livescan/Background check
- \$4,446 in revenue for this week child care programs.

Aquatics:

We are now offering the following programs:

- **EBSD Year Round Membership**
 - Dates: 10/1/12-9/31/13
 - USA Registration fee: Year Round Swimmer \$80 (made payable to EBSD)
 - Code: 52200-G-L
 - Spinners: M-TH, 6:30-7pm, \$66
Intermediate: M-F, 5-6:15pm, \$83
Advanced: M-F, 5-6:30/7pm, \$94
- **Lap Swim/Water Walking: Swim Passes are available!**
 - Ages: 14+
 - Days: M-F (Wednesdays 6-8pm)
 - Times: 6-7pm (until 4/30 then times will change)
 - Fees: Resident- Youth & Senior \$4/Adults \$5
Non-Resident- Youth & Senior \$5/Adults \$6
- **Swim Passes:**
 - 10 Visit Swim Pass Res- \$40 Adults/\$30 Youth Non-Res-\$50 Adults/\$40 Youth
 - 25 Visit Swim Pass Res- \$100 Adults/\$75 Youth Non-Res- \$125 Adults/\$100 Youth
- **Hercules Piranhas- has 86 participants registered! Still taking signups!**
 - Registration Period: 3/4/13-6/21/13
 - Spring Season (4/30-6/9) Minimum: 21 Swimmers/Summer Season (6/11-8/12) Minimum 85 Swimmers
 - Beginners: Spring Season Hours: M-TH, 6:30-7pm
 - Summer Hours: M-TH, 6:30pm-7:15pm
 - Intermediate: Spring Season Hours: M-F, 5:15-6:30pm
 - Summer Hours: M-F, 7:15-8:45pm
 - Advanced: Spring Season Hours: M-F, 5-7pm
 - Summer Hours: M-F, 7-9pm
 - 1 Swimmer Registration Fee \$404 Deposit \$200
 - 2 Swimmers Registration \$707 Deposit \$200
 - 3 Swimmers Registration \$909 Deposit \$200
 - 4 Swimmers Registration \$1145 Deposit \$200

- 5 Swimmers Registration \$1345 Deposit \$200
(PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST. Times are subject to change depending on enrollment. No proration's for late enrollment.)

• **MONTHLY ZUMBA CLASSES AND PASSES INCLUDE:**

- Fees: \$45 Residents / \$50 Non-Residents
- Drop in: \$10 per class
 - Zumba (Mondays, 7-8pm)
 - Zumba Gold (Wednesdays, 9:30am-10:30am)
 - Aqua Zumba (Wednesdays, 7-8pm)
 - Zumba Sentao (Fridays, 5:45pm,-6:45pm)
 - Zumba (Fridays, 7-8pm)
 - Zumba Toning (Sundays, 9-10am)
 - Aqua Zumba Gold (Starting in June, Sundays, 11am-12pm)

Teens:

Sign up for our SPOT Before and After school program and Summer Camp for grades 6th -9th.

Facilities:

Are you looking for a hall to rent to hold a meeting, party, wedding reception, graduation, birthday, retirement or baptisms. Check out our many facilities we have to offer by going online to www.ci.hercules.ca.us or call 799-8291 for more information.

Recreation Classes:

We are now taking registration for many new and exciting classes. Classes include Tutoring, Math Tutoring, Oil Painting, Chinese, Dog Obedience, Ballet, Gymnastics, Belly Dance, Guitar, Karate, Ab Lad, Zumba & Jazzercise. Make sure to register early before they fill up or get canceled for low enrollment.

Parks & Recreation Activity Guide & Banner Programs:

We are accepting applications to advertise in the next edition of the Parks and Recreation activity guide which will come out in July 2013. For the Banner Program we have a few spots open for May 2013. If you have specific questions feel free to give Andrea Mendez a call at (510) 799-8290 or email amendez@ci.hercules.ca.us.

Sports:

We have started our Co-Ed 7-10 Junior Pee Wee Basketball League. The league will run from April through July, 6 days per week with practices being held Monday through Thursday and games on Fridays and Saturdays. We currently have 96 kids enrolled.

- Offering a Basketball Leagues of 3 on 3 with 6 teams on Thursday night.
- Softball Leagues at Fernandez Park we have 7 Men's teams on Monday nights and 6 Co-Ed teams on Tuesday Nights
- Golf League at Franklin Canyon has 8 teams it started May 1st!

Tiny Tots & Little Learners:

A great introduction to your child's "First Learning Experiences". They will have fun making their first school friends, learning through play, games, arts, crafts, and healthy snacks. Our loving and qualified staff will guide them with socialization and self-help skills. Children have so much fun, they do not realize they are learning! Our program runs along with the school year from September-June. Come see what keeps our children smiling! Children must be completely toilet trained.

- For next Fall our Tiny Tot program has a 5 day Jr. kindergarten program, A MWF Pre K program and a T/TH Little Learner which are full already!

WEEKLY POLICE REPORT – Week ending May 2, 2013

Counterfeit Money Used for Purchase: On April 25, 2013 at 9:18am, an officer was dispatched to the Lucky Store, in the 1500 Block of Sycamore Ave. The reporting party said, on April 24, 2013 at about 5:30pm, one of the managers was counting the cash drop from one of the self check out machine. The manager noticed (2) two \$100 bills appeared counterfeit. The investigation is continuing.

Commercial Burglary: On April 25, 2013, at 9:23 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to a business, in the 2000 Block of Alfred Nobel. The reporting party stated fourteen Dell laptop computers, and an Apple computer monitor, were stolen from the business. The incident occurred on 4/23/2013. There were no signs of forced entry. The devices were taken from one area.

Mental Evaluation: On April 25, at 9:36am, Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Heather. The reporting party stated her adult son was behaving erratically. When officers arrived they were told the subject left on foot, and he was armed with a knife. The subject came out from a side yard, without the knife, and contacted the Officers. The subject met the criteria for a mental health evaluation; and was transported by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

Civil Standby: On April 25, 2013, at 10:27am, Officers responded to the 700 block of Alfred Nobel for a civil standby. The property owner wanted to verify the tenant had moved out.

Weapon on School Grounds: On April 25, 2013, at 11:50am, a Hercules Middle High School Resource Officer was advised, by a site supervisor, of a student who brought a knife onto the school grounds. The male juvenile had been brought to the Administration Building; and the knife had already been recovered from him. The suspect was contacted and the weapon was determined to be a box cutter. The suspect reportedly had an altercation with another student; and threatened the other student with the box cutter. The suspect was arrested cite released to a relative.

Reported Stolen Vehicle: On April 25, 2013, at 6:37pm, an officer was dispatched to the 100 block Mesa Court. The reporting party stated he left the keys inside his rented 2013 Silver Malibu, at 4:00pm while he took a nap. When he woke up at 5 pm the vehicle was gone.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle: On April 25, 2013, at 7:48 p.m., officers were working on special assignment looking for stolen vehicles in the West County. They located an unoccupied, silver

1996, Mazda 626 parked in the 400 block of Bissell Avenue, in Richmond. The Mazda was reported stolen out of Alameda County April 19, 2013

Warrant Arrest: On April 25, 2013, at 8:19 p.m., officers were dispatched to Overlook Ct and Overlook Terrace for the report of a suspicious parked red Dodge; with a male and female inside. Officers contacted the couple and determined that 21 year old Omari Lateef had a citable misdemeanor warrant. Lateef was written a citation, with a new court date, and released.

Public Intoxication: On April 25, 2013, at 10:26 p.m., Officers were dispatched to the 800 block of Willow Avenue, for a male adult talking to himself. Officers contacted 59 year old Jeffery Meeks, of Rodeo, and he displayed signs of intoxication. Meeks was arrested for Public Intoxication and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Warrant/Possession Controlled Substance/Possession of Stolen Property: On April 26, 2013, at 8:49am, Hercules Officer went to the 200 block Sparrow Dr. to serve and arrest warrant. Officers located, and arrested, 37 years old Stacy Cook for an outstanding warrant. The arresting officer asked Cook if he could look in her vehicle (parked in the driveway) and she said he could. During the vehicle check the Officer found mail, belonging to several people; personal checks; tax documents; and bank paperwork. Cook also had a small zip lock bag, containing a white crystalline substance, believed to be a controlled substance. Detectives obtained a search warrant for Cook's residence. Additional evidence was located. The investigation is continuing.

Vandalism: On April 26, 2013, at 10:47am, Officers were dispatched to Santa Fe and Railroad. Officers contacted two male juveniles, and one adult male (all from Pinole), inside one of the vacant "Historic" houses. All three suspects were cited for vandalism. The adult, 18 year old Erik Morales was also charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor. The two juveniles were released to a parent.

Residential Burglary: On April 26, 2013, at 4:12pm, officers were dispatched to the 1900 block of Pheasant. The victim returned home and found her front door open. A check of the residence revealed the point of entry was an open upstairs window. The loss appeared to be small electronics. The time frame was between 8:00am and 4:13pm.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol/Collision: On April 27, 2013, at 1:12 a.m., HPD officers were dispatched to the area of the 2200 block of Pheasant. Officers located a green Honda Civic, with major front end damage, on the sidewalk facing east on Pheasant. There was a red Mercedes SUV, with major rear end damage, in front of the Civic, facing north on Pheasant. An adult female was found sitting in the Civic, with both air bags deployed. The female displayed objective signs of intoxication. 24 year old Stephanie Corona was arrested for Driving under of Alcohol. Corona was issued a citation and released to a responsible party.

BOBCOP: On April 25, 2013, at 9:58 a.m., a resident from the 100 block Bellflower submitted an online report. The victim reported that items were taken from his unlocked vehicle, which was parked in front of his residence on 4/25/13 at 9:55 a.m.

BOBCOP: On April 23, 2013, at 10:32 a.m., a resident from the 200 block of Bristol submitted

an online report. She reported someone filed a Federal tax return using her social security number. She discovered the crime when she attempted to file her tax return.

BOBCOP: On April 23, 2013 at 9:45 a.m., a resident from the 500 block of Forest Run submitted an online report. She reported she lost her passport and birth certificate

Lost or stolen Plate: On April 27, 2013, at 10:37am, an officer was dispatched to the Police Department lobby. The reporting party said yesterday he noticed the front license plate for his 2004 Honda was missing.

Strong Arm Robbery: On April 27, 2013, at 5:32pm, officers were dispatched to 3700 San Pablo Ave for a report of a strong arm robbery that occurred 3-4 minutes prior. The victim said he was walking in front of Starbucks when two African America male adults approached him and asked to use his phone. One of the males ripped a chain from the victim's neck and both suspects ran to a 2000's silver four door vehicle, parked nearby. The vehicle was last seen heading N/B on San Pablo Ave. The primary suspect was described as an African American male, 22-25 years old, bald head with tattoos on his chest and arms. No weapon was seen or simulated. The area checked negative for suspect.

Prescription Drug Collection Program: On April 27, 2013, the Hercules Police Department, partnered with the Drug Enforcement Administration, conducted a prescription, and over the counter, drug collection. The collection was conducted between the hours of 10:00am and 2:00pm. 162.7 pounds of expired, and unwanted, drugs were collected and destroyed.

Vandalism to a vehicle: On April 27 at 11:24 PM a Hercules Resident reported the left front, and rear windows, of her 2007 Toyota were shattered. The vehicle was parked in the 300 block of Turquoise. The victim heard a bang, outside the residence, at 10:30 PM but did not investigate. Both windows appear to have been shot with a BB gun. An area check was conducted for additional victims with negative results.

Attempted Residential Burglary: On April 28, 2013, at about 12:34 pm, a resident from the 100 block of Tanager Way reported someone attempted to kick in the front door of his residence. The incident occurred at about 11:30 pm on April 27, 2013. The homeowner heard a loud banging noise from the front door but thought it was his kids playing around. This morning, he saw that the door was damaged and there were scuff marks consistent with being kicked.

Vandalism: On April 28, 2013, at about 1:02 pm, a citizen from the 100 block of Jasper Ct reported someone shot their front room window with a "bb." The incident occurred at about 10:25 pm. The reporting person heard a car drive by the area at this time with several "young people laughing."

BOBCOP: On April 28, 2013, at about 5:15 pm, a citizen from the 300 block of N. Wildwood filed an on-line report regarding an unknown person that has been attempting to use her personal information for unauthorized credit purposes.

No Bail Warrant: April 28, 2013 at 9:44 PM an Officer stopped a vehicle, on Lupine at Heather,

for a brake light out. The driver, 29 year old Jelani White of Antioch, had two warrants issued in Solano County. One of the warrants was a “No Bail” warrant. White was arrested for the warrants and transported him to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Arrest for Warrant: April 28, 2013 at 10:20 PM Hercules Officers responded to a suspicious subject who was walking in traffic lanes in the area of San Pablo Ave and Hercules Ave. Officers contacted an adult male who stated he had an arrest warrant and he wanted to go the jail. The male appeared intoxicated. 48 year old Kevin Meredith, of Oakland was arrested for the warrant and taken to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Possession of a Controlled Substance and Narcotic Paraphernalia: April 29 at 2:43 AM an Officer conducted a check on an occupied suspicious vehicle in the 100 block of Beechnut. The vehicle was occupied by an adult female driver, of Hercules, and an adult male passenger, of Richmond. The male was found to be on searchable probation, in Contra Costa County. The Officer conducted a probation search of the male, and the interior of the vehicle. The Officer found narcotic paraphernalia, and a “bindle” believed to contain a controlled substance, near where the driver was sitting. 22 year old Monica Duque arrested for Possession of a Controlled Substance and Possession of Narcotic Paraphernalia. She was transported the Martinez Detention Facility.

Warrant Arrest: On April 29, 2013, at about 7:42 am, an employee, if a business, in the 800 block of Willow Ave reported two suspicious subjects panhandling. The subjects were attempting to leave in a blue minivan but had trouble starting the vehicle and appeared to be “hotwiring” it. Officers located the van as it entered I-80 EB from Willow Ave. Officer contacted the driver, and he was determined to have two outstanding warrants. 23 year old Zane Scott, of Chico, was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Traffic Collision/City Vehicle: On May 1, 2013, at 10:21am, an officer was dispatched to Sycamore Ave at Willow Ave for a report of traffic collision involving a city worker/vehicle. No injuries were reported.

Traffic Collision/Exchange of information: On May 1, 2013 at, 12:59 p.m. an HPD officer was dispatched to the 1200 block of Willow Ave. on a report of a hit-and-run. The reporting party said she was traveling east on Willow Ave, when a Ford F-150 pickup made a right turn on Willow and came into contact with her vehicle’s right front corner. The driver of the truck left the accident scene, but the reporting party got the license number. The second party was contacted and did not realize he hit the reporting party’s vehicle. The officer assisted with an information exchange.

Unauthorized Use of Access Card: On May 1, 2013 at 2:23pm, an officer was dispatched to Manchester Ct. The reporting party said someone fraudulently used her Master Card in Raleigh, North Carolina. The reporting party said she has not been South Carolina for approximately two years.

Identity Theft: On May 1, 2013, at 3:31pm, an officer was dispatched to HPD for a lobby detail. The reporting party someone used her identifying information to put ads on Craig’s list seeking apartment rental.

Found Property: On May 1, 2013, at 7:06 p.m., an officer was dispatched to the 3200 block of South Front. The reporting party found a set of car keys, in front of his residence, next to a 2010 Honda Civic. The keys belonged to the Honda. The officer tried to contact the registered owner of the Honda was not able to make contact. The keys were booked for safekeeping.

Warrant Arrest: On May 2, 2013, at 1:09 a.m., an officer contacted an adult female in the 100 block of Azalea Ct. During the contact an adult male came out of a house and joined the conversation. 22 year old Michael Verette was determined to have a felony no bail warrant, for his arrest. Verette was taken into custody, and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.